Dated: May 7, 1996. Victor M. Fortuno, *General Counsel*.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Cooperative Agreement for a Theater Residency Program for Playwrights

AGENCY: National Endowment for the Arts.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The National Endowment for the Arts requests proposals leading to the award of a Cooperative Agreement for the development, implementation, administration, and evaluation of a playwrights' theater residency program. Under the Cooperative Agreement, a minimum of 10 playwrights will be awarded \$25,000 each for residencies at theater institutions. The residency stipends will recognize significant accomplishment or promise and will allow playwrights to fulfill self-defined artistic and community-based goals. those interested in receiving the Solicitation should reference Program Solicitation PS 96-05 in their written request and include two (2) selfaddressed labels. Verbal requests for the Solicitation will not be honored.

DATES: Program Solicitation PS 96–05 is scheduled for release approximately May 24, 1996 with proposals due on June 24, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Requests for the Solicitation should be addressed to National Endowment for the Arts, Grants & Contracts Office, Room 618, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20506.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

William I. Hummel, Grants and Contracts Office, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20506 (202/682– 5482).

William I. Hummel,

Coordinator, Cooperative Agreements and Contracts.

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National Endowment for the Arts; International Advisory Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the International Advisory Panel (Federal Advisory Committee on International Exhibitions Section) to the National Council on the Arts will meet on May 31, 1996 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in Room 716, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

This meeting is for the purpose of application evaluation, under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the Agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of June 22, 1995, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c) (4), (6) and 9(B) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Panel Coordinator, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call (202) 682–5691.

Dated: May 6, 1996.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Office of Guidelines and Panel Operations, National Endowment for the Arts.

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NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee

AGENCY: National Communications System (NCS).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee will hold a meeting to exchange facts and information on the threats to the nation's information infrastructure to include a brief from the National Security Agency. This special meeting will be held Thursday, May 23, 1996, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at 4301 North Fairfax Drive, Room 272, Arlington, VA 22203. The agenda is as follows:

- —Call to Order/Welcoming Remarks
- —Threat Briefing
- —Discussion
- -Closing Remarks/Adjournment

Due to the classification of the information to be discussed, this meeting will be closed to the public in the interest of national security.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Telephone (703) 607–6221 or write the Manager, National Communications

System, 701 South Court House Rd., Arlington, VA 22204–2198.

Dennis Bodson,

Chief, Technology and Standards. [FR Doc. 96–11795 Filed 5–9–96; 8:45 am]

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Biological Sciences; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting.

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in biological Sciences (# 1754).

Date and Time: May 30–31, 1996; 9:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Carol Colby, Program Officer for Behavioral Neuroscience in the Division of Integrative Biology and Neuroscience, Room 685, National Science Foundation 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: (703) 306–1416.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate Collaborative Research in Neuroscience, Computer and Mathematical Sciences and Engineering (CRI) proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 5522b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: May 6, 1996. M. Rebecca Winkler,

Committee Management Officer.

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Special Emphasis Panel in Electrical and Communication Systems; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name and Committee Code: Special Emphasis Panel in Electrical and Communications Systems (1196).

Date and Time: May 28, 1996; 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Place: Room 365, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.